

# ***“BUILDING KIDS SOLID AS A ROCK”***

**2014 SOUTHERN REGION MCKINNEY-VENTO CONFERENCE**



**Embassy Suites  
11301 Financial Centre Parkway  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72211  
April 28-30, 2014**

**Registration (\$300)  
Late Registration (\$350)  
No Refunds after February 28, 2014**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_  
School/Agency \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please note any required special accommodations (i.e. dietary, ADA-assisted devices) \_\_\_\_\_

Enclose a check in the amount of **\$300** for registration and lunch on Monday and Tuesday. The registration deadline is February 28, 2014. Late registration (*after* February 28) is \$350 and does not guarantee meals.

Make check payable to the **Arkansas Department of Education**, *indicate Homeless Conference on the memo line on the check*, and mail with completed registration form to:

Arkansas Department of Education  
Federal Programs, McKinney-Vento  
Four Capitol Mall, Mail Slot # 26  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Contact Dana Davis, McKinney-Vento State Coordinator  
Phone: 501-683-5428 E-mail: dana.davis@arkansas.gov

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**Southern Region McKinney-Vento Conference**  
April 28-30, 2014  
Embassy Suites Hotel, Little Rock

- Target Audience:** Homeless Liaisons, K-12 School Counselors, Teachers, Administrators, Social Workers, Providers
- Conference Objectives:** To provide current and relevant information to assist educators and others in identifying homeless students. Participants will share expertise and gain knowledge that is vital to educating the whole student and meeting the educational needs of all homeless students.
- Conference Schedule:** Conference check-in will be on Monday from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Sessions will run from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., and lunch will be from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Afternoon sessions will run from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. The conference will conclude at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday.
- Registration:** Deadline to register February 28th. Complete attached registration form and submit a check in the amount of **\$300.00** (includes registration and lunch on Monday and Tuesday). After February 28th there will be an additional \$50 late registration fee. Onsite registration does not guarantee meals. No refunds will be issued on cancellations after February 28th.
- Make check payable to the **Arkansas Department of Education, indicate McKinney-Vento Conference on the memo line on the check** and mail to:
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Federal Programs, McKinney-Vento  
Four Capitol Mall, Mail Slot #26  
Little Rock, AR 72201
- Lodging:** Embassy Suites  
11301 Financial Centre Parkway  
Little Rock, AR 72211  
Make reservations by calling 501-312-9000 or online at:  
<http://embassysuites.hilton.com/en/es/groups/personalized/L/LITCPES-EDU-20140426/index.jhtml>  
Room rates: Single-\$87  
Double-\$127  
Triple-\$137  
Reservations must be made by Thursday, March 27, 2014 to receive the conference rates.
- Contact:** Dana Davis, 501-683-5428, [dana.davis@arkansas.gov](mailto:dana.davis@arkansas.gov)
- Service Project:** ***Arkansas Rice Depot***  
“Personal Care Kits” will be collected to donate to our service project. There will be an area for donated items in the conference room. Please see the suggested items, for each kit, on the next page. Thank you for your participation in this project.

**PERSONAL CARE KIT**

**1 Hand Towel**

**1 Wash Cloth**

**1 Comb**

**1 Fingernail Clippers**

**1 Bar of Soap**

**1 Toothbrush**

**1 Tube Toothpaste**

**6 Adhesive Bandages (Band-Aids)**

**Place all items in a gallon zip-lock bag.**